IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)
NORIYUKI KOMATSU, ET AL.	: Examiner: UNASSIGNED
Application No.: UNASSIGNED	: Group Art Unit: UNASSIGNED)
Filed: November 7, 2003	:)
For: ASSEMBLING METHOD FOR DEVELOPING ROLLER	:) : November 7, 2003

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Sir:

Prior to examination on the merits, Applicants respectfully request that the aboveidentified application be amended as follows: